UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE UNITED STATES FOREST SERVICE

FRANCIS MARION AND SUMTER NATIONAL FORESTS

FOREST-WIDE CLOSURE

ORDER NUMBER: FM-14-04

CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE PROHIBITIONS

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited within the boundaries of the Francis Marion and Sumter National Forests. This order is effective until terminated.

1. For the protection of public health and safety, it is prohibited to possess a controlled substance or paraphernalia for the use of controlled substances. [36 CFR 261.53(e)]

"Controlled substance" means a drug or other substance, or immediate precursor, included in schedules I, II, III, IV, or V of Part B of the Controlled Substances Act (21 U.S.C. §812) or a drug or substance added to these schedules pursuant to the terms of the Act.

"Paraphernalia" means any equipment, product or material of any kind which is primarily intended or designed for use in manufacturing, compounding, converting, concealing, producing, processing, preparing, injecting, ingesting, inhaling, or otherwise introducing into the human body a controlled substance.

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from the provisions of the above order:

- 1. Persons with a permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.
- 2. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in performance of an official duty.

These prohibitions are in addition to the general prohibitions in 36 CFR Part 261, Subpart A

Executed at Columbia, South Carolina this 28th day of August, 2014

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Violations of this prohibition is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5000.00 for an individual and \$10,000 for an organization or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months or both. Title 16 USC 551 and Title 18 USC 3559 and 3571.